

By Telegraph.

REPORTED FOR THE DAILY EMPIRE
NIGHT DISPATCHES.

LOSS OF THE MONITOR.

FORT MONMOS, Jan. 3.—To Hon. Gideon Welles: The State of Georgia reports that the Monitor foundered on Tuesday night, south of Cape Hatteras, with a loss of two officers and thirty-eight men, names not known.

MURFREESBORO FIGHT.

NASHVILLE, Jan. 3.—It is reliably reported that Gen. Bragg was killed.—There was fighting all day. No particulars.

Our forces are advancing and the enemy is falling back over Stones River.

Wounded slight Col. Miller, Blake, 40th Indiana, Lieut. Col. Neff, Col. Hull, and Captain Pate. Heavy rain all day. Heavy canonading yesterday till noon.

The Rebels attacked our left and were terribly repulsed. Very little fighting yesterday. Our forces do not yet occupy Murfreesboro.

The Rebels attacked and destroyed Hospital building on Thursday.

The Richmond army are furnishing strong reinforcements.

A spirited engagement took place between mechanics and engineers, Col. Innis' and Gen. Wharton's rebel cavalry. The latter were routed with a loss of 23 killed.

All contrabands captured on Federal wagon trains were shot. Twenty of the killed are lying on the Murfreesboro pike.

Major Slemon and Captain King were wounded, and while in an ambulance captured by the rebels, taken four miles, paroled, and thrown out on the road.

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Captain Mack, chief of the artillery of Thomas' staff, was mortally wounded.

Col. Anderson's dispatch to headquarters says

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NASHVILLE, Jan. 4.—Col. McKee is reported killed. Our loss of officers is heart-rending. The battle closed last night with terrible slaughter to the enemy. The first day's fighting was all our own way, but the right wing fought itself into a bad position.

On the third day we repulsed the enemy with terrible slaughter, and with but slight loss on our side.

LOUISVILLE, January 4.—A dispatch from Nashville says there are three feet on the snows in the Cumberland river, and rising.

Everything is going on well in front. General Rosecrans is in Murfreesboro. He has captured the rebel trains, and is driving the enemy. General Rousseau is unhurt. His Assistant Adjutant General, Major McDowell, is wounded in the arm. The Journal's dispatches say, under date of the 4th: "There was a bloody fight last night. During a storm the rebels charged us, and were repulsed. Our troops hold Murfreesboro. Our advantages are decided. Breckinridge's division was cut to pieces and routed on Saturday. Our skirmishers decoyed a large body of rebels among our batteries. We routed them with great slaughter. Captain McCulloch, of the 2d Kentucky (Union) cavalry, says the rebel General Wharton was driven almost to madness by the slaughter of his men. Eye-witnesses say the slaughter exceeds that of Shiloh. General Rosecrans and the soldiers are in the highest spirits."

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The rebel canteens were filled with whisky and gunpowder.

The Murfreesboro' Rebel of the 2d says:

The Federals fought gallantly. It admits a loss of 5,000. The Federal prisoners are sent to Murfreesboro' as fast as taken. Captain Joe Desha of Kentucky, was wounded by a shell in the head. Adjutant Card, of the same regiment was shot by a cannon ball.

The Associated Press' Nashville correspondent, says it is reported that Rosecrans shelled Murfreesboro' this morning. No reply was made. Our forces would occupy it at noon. The rebels have undoubtedly left. Our forces are reported pursuing.

McCook attacked Wharton's cavalry near the agency, six miles from Nashville, killing eight, who were left on the field, and many wounded. Seven Federals were wounded.

Capt. Piney, of the 5th Wisconsin, Lieutenant, of the 25th Illinois, and all the commissioned officers and sergeants of company G, L, and K, are killed or disabled.

Col. Scott, of the 9th Illinois, seriously wounded.

Capt. Austin, of Woodruff's staff is taken prisoner.

Frank Ward, of Pittsburgh, of Anderson's troops is killed. All reports of Rosecrans having retreated to Nashville are false.

The fight to-day is supposed to be in the vicinity of Christiansburg. The intervention of rebel cavalry between Nashville and Christiansburg makes it difficult to get news, but everything thus far is favorable the ultimate success of the Federal arms.

Private dispatches say the rebels in their retreat are burning cotton wherever they can get hold of it.

LATEST NEWS.

AFTERNOON DISPATCHES.

STUART'S RAID.

WASHINGTON, Jan 4.—The material result of Stuart's cavalry raid was one Government wagon half filled with oats, but it masked the withdrawal from the lines behind Fredericksburg and of large reinforcements for Bragg's army at Charleston. Balloon observations 300 feet high revealed to our commanders last week that the number of rebel infantry companies across the Rappahannock was largely diminished.

Richmond papers of Friday last contain the following dispatch which is official to the rebel War Department.

MURFREESBORO' January 1.

We assailed the enemy at 7 this morning and after 10 hours hard fighting have driven him from every position except from his extreme left, where he successfully resisted us; with the exception of this point we occupy the field. We captured about 4000 prisoners, including two Brigadier Generals, 31 pieces of artillery and some teams. Our loss is heavy, but that of the enemy must be greater.

BRAXTON BRAGG,
General Commanding

Charleston, Dec. 31.—The British steam sloop Petrel from Fort Monroe has arrived off the bar. She is visited by Mr. Burch, the British Consul, to-day and will come up to the city. The schooner Emma Tuttle captured by a Yankee cruiser, and put in charge of a prize crew has been re-captured by the original officers and crew, who were confined on board, and taken her back to Nassau together with her prize crew as prisoners.

TICKLEBURY, Dec. 30.—A courier has just arrived who states that the enemy attacked our lines again this morning, but after a very severe combat were repulsed with heavy loss. No further particulars at present. The loss of the enemy is said to be about 300 killed and wounded. Our loss is 60 killed and wounded.

The belief that no troops have been withdrawn from our front and sent to reinforce Bragg is very general among our commanding officers.

Weather is warm and clear.

OUR FOREIGN RELATIONS.

NEW YORK, January 5.—The Washington special to the Times says there is nothing in the recent advices from our Ministers in Europe indicating a change in the policy of non-intervention.

President James writes hopefully of the ability of Mexico to defeat the project of the French in regard to the Capital.

The iron-clads were sent from Fortress Monroe to Wilmington the object being to cut off Railroad communication with Charleston.

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REMOVAL.

M. SCHNEIDER has removed his Gun Store and

Shop from his old stand in the Ohio Block, 51

street, to No. 109 Main street, opposite the Market,

where he will continue to keep a hand's good assortment of Double and Single Barrel shot guns; Rifles; Carbines; Powder and Shot; Smith & Wesson's, and other Revolvers; and Pistols; Buckle and Pocket Knives; all kinds of Sporting Apparatus; Gun Barrels and metal; Powder and Shot, etc.

We have just received, besides other guns, a new and superior article of an American single Barrel shot gun, the best of the kind in Market.

M. SCHNEIDER & SON.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

A meeting of the Directors of the Firemen's Insurance on the 1st inst., a dividend of \$200 per share was declared, payable on and after the 10th inst.

E. PHILLIPS, Secretary.

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W. T. REMMER No. 43.

LATEST—VICTORY COMPLETE.

LOUISVILLE, Jan. 5.—A dispatch just received from Nashville states that the Federal

victory is most complete, and that the rebel

forces are fleeing towards Tallahoma in great disorder.

Reported for the Daily Empire.

NEW YORK Market.

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FLOUR—Receipts 1,404 bbls; market 5@

10c better, with fair enquiry; sales 13,000

bbls; 5 90@6 00 superfine state; 6 35@6 50

extra state; 5 85@6 10 superior western;

6 45@6 80 common to medium extra western;

6 90@7 00 common to good shipping brand

R. H. O.

WHEAT—None, market 1@2c better;

1 23@1 34 Chicago spring; 1 34@1 39 Mil-

waukee club; 1 45@1 48 winter red wheat

6 40@7 00 common.

CORN—Market firmer at 80@81 51 mixed western.

OATS—Steady at 68@71 common to prime.

PORK—Steady at 14 25 for mess.

DRESSED HOGS—Quiet.

LARD—Steady at 94@10.

WHISKY—Shade firmer at 39@.

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